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1. Soviet tank troops moved through Kecskemet (Y 6/N 95) on 6 January 1951. The tanks had large bogie-wheels and revolving turrets.
2. Soviet tank troops were seen in the Artillery Barracks in the southwestern sector of the city, on both sides of the concrete road to Dunafoldvar (Y 6/N 35), in January. Local residents said that more than 100 tanks, including T-34 models, were stationed in the installation. *
3. A Soviet hospital was located in two two-story houses on the northeastern perimeter of Kecskemet, east of the railroad station and northwest of the concrete road to Bekescsaba (R 16/C 91). Local residents said that the buildings were previously used as barracks. The Soviet-controlled Janos Flatter canning factory was located opposite the hospital.

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